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Notice in writing of the names of Caudi-. dates and of their Proposers and Seconders to be lodged with the Socretary at least 48 hours before the time appointed for holding the General Meeting.

dongkong, April 20, 1912.

THE HONGKONG COTTON, SPIN-NING WEAVING & DYKING COMPANY, LIMITED.

ATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that are IN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Hongkong Cotton Spinning Weaving and Dyeing Company Limited will be held at the Offices of Messes Jardine, Matheson & Co., Led., Hougkong, on TUESDAY, the 30th day of April, 1612, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, when the subjoined extraordinary resolution will be proposed :-

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By Order, JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., LTD., General Managers.

Hengkong, April 13, 1912.

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GENERAL MEETING of SHARE HOLDERS will be held at the Company's Officer, St. George's Building, on SATUR. DAY, the 4th MAY, 1912, st 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of presenting the REPORT of the DIRECTORS, together with a STATEMENT of "ACCOUNTS to 29th February, 1912, and electing DIREC TORS and AUDITORS.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 20th Apri to the 4th May, 1912, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors,

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CANTON NEWS.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) CANTON, April 19.

Chan Kang Yu, a native of Hongkong, has been lately appointed manager of the Mint and is satisfying all requirements. He has done a great deal to make the notes acceptable to the people and has a very good grasp of the financial position. Newly printed local notes have been issued lately 816 but not in great numbers, and Chan has issued a circular telling the people that by refusing or questioning the paper currency they will only hasten a financial disaster which it is the business of everyone to help

> REQUEST FOR LOCAL GUARDS. A request from the "Magistrates of several prefectures and villages for funds arms to equip a locally-raised regiment of guards has been refused the Governor He points out that the Government does not wish any armed forces outside their direct control, and also shows how the upkeep of these guards or soldiers falling upon the in- overcome. dividual villages -would prove a serious drain on their resources. He promises shall be distributed over the pirate robber infected parts of the province at arly date.

ARMY SUDGET FOR MARCH. It is stated that one million two hundre thousand dollars was the amount of money spent on the army and things military last month, and this amount has been noted a the assembly; with a strong propose for doing the utmost to curtail expenditure in this direction.

THE DECLINE IN BRITISH CONSOLS.

It may be observed that the head of the British Treasury Department has not given any sign of willingness to accede to any of the plans thus far put forward with a view to improving the market condition of the Government's securities. Lloyd George, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, in speech upon the subject, confined himself to suggesting that the reasons for the decline should be discussed and the remedies which have been auggested carefully examined. He referred in his address, however, to the principal causes which have resulted in the price the 21-per-cents cousels having fallen 77%, compared with their high rate of 110 in 1893. This, as he pointed ou may be largely ascribed to the increase the number and amount of securities which are available in England as investments on the part of trustees. In 1888 only about £800,000,000 of Government securities were available for such investments, there were, in addition, - no more than £300,000,000 of other issues which might be used for 534 the same purpose. At the present time, scrording to Lloyd George, there are no less than £1,800,000,000 of issues, apar from British consols, which may purchased by trustees under the las governing their action in such mutter It is furthermore pointed out concurrent with the widening of the market in respect to trustees, it has undergone a still greater change in the way of an increase in the available securities where the general investing public is concerned. The result has been that not al- no consola, but other highgrade securities in the British market have come into competition with a mass of bonds and stocks native and foreign, which offer greater attractions, in the way of inc me return, and, as a consequence, most of the gilt-edged securities have suffered declines proportionate to the fall which has occurred in the market value of consols. The subject is a very large one. uniforbiedly, and has been brought bome

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NANNING NOTES.

(From our own Correspondent.) NANNING, April 17.

Early this month great preparations. were made in the city to welcome back from Kweilin, Military Governor, Luk., At last after many disappointments the fleet of junks, steam launches and motor boats appeared sailing up atream, gay with flags and decorations. Thousands of crackers were fired, and everybody was happy, for the Governor is regarded almost as a national hero, and great was the chagrin when it was discovered that he hadn't come at all, but had left the flotills at the pageda point and proceeded from thence to his home in Mo-vuen. His movements

It is much to be regretted that the local patriotism of the merchants and leading citizens does not induce them to provide funds for the transference of the capital from Kweilin. They are very insistent as to its desirability but they do not put up the necessary money to help accomplish it. So once more the matter is shelved in definitely after all other obstacles had been The Government_have purchased two

in the immediate future are not known.

motor bosts, and intend to srm them as the sufferers. E. A. M. WILLIAMS, that reliable and well disciplined companies gun boats to police the river. They cost ten thousand dollars each. One is the old Chuen On, and the other is a new boat, built for the Anglo-American Tobacco Company, but which was rejected by them as failing to come up to the contract speed. So far, they only have a few rifles on board and are not fitted up with any guns. They are at present lying at Nanning.

The water in the river has risen considerably and the traffic is brisk. Mossrs Banker and Co.'s Tien Ms, the fastest of the motor beats, has been allocated to the Po Seh run. Rumour has it that Jardine, Matheson & Co., are putting 2 motor bosts on the river very shortly.

Mr Schjöth, has arrived as well as the new Tidewaiter, Mr Hudson, from

The country side is very peaceful, and there are no stories to hand of robberies or cutrages. The French missionsries from the interior report too that things are

Spring is upon us and the cotton trees. and roses have been in full bloom as well as other lovely flowers.

Namning is at last waking up to the need of female education—the Government girl's college has reopened, along with the other public schools, and the attendance and application of the pupils is remarkable: The Emmanuel Mission has also started girl's school, with most gratifying resucts. and even the parents of the very poor children are willing to pay the small fees, and spare their little girls from the usual household tasks of minding the balties or adding to the family earnings by making crackers:

A deputation of certain master bakers. which attended before the public control committee of the L C.C., arged that more protection of the public in collection with be the sale of bread; and pointed out that con sumers of bread lost between £400,000 and 2500,000 s year in respect of deficien

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Unfortunately, however, it is a matter of every day observation that it does not do so. The first intimation of anything being wrong generally comes in a loss of appetite. This is inture's warning that less food should be taken; so that the body nery have time to recover its equilibrium through less work being given to the digestive organs on the one hand, and less strain being put on the nerves which regulate them on the

At the same time, it has slways to be

borne in mind that the taking of less foo

is always followed by the desire to take still less. The result is that the individual may get run down into a condition of great weakness. It is necessary, therefore, to exercise the greatest care and intelligence in cutting down the daily supply of food. Without a certain amount of nitrogenous food, the body's force cannot be kept up That is a fundamental law of physiology which has to be observed by everyone it all climates. ... Mest in the chief sauce from which that all-important element hitrogen is obtained. Meat and meat foods are, howover too hosting to use a common expression, under these conditions of failing appetite, and they contain so much waste material that they throw too much work on the already overworked excretory organs. In fact, it may be this very conlition of overwork which is the cause o ns of appetite.

ABSOLUTELY CONVINCING REASONS.

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considerable pain and an even greater

degree of weakness than when men are

gen often acts like a charm, especially in the case of children in whom the loss of a desire for food naturally tells with greater rapidity and effect than in grown-up people In such cases the following statement of physician practising in Bangalore may be regarded as typical:—"I have an interesting case in which Sanatogen has remarkable effect. The subject was a boy, eleven years old, who was very amenic, averse to any sort-of food from want of appetite, morose, of a languid disposition, hating to play and study, while he suffered, at least once a week from a severe chest pain which, it was feared, would culminate in that dreaded malady Augina Pectoria. He Our new Assistant in the Customs, Ind only taken Sanatogen for three days when, to the surprise of his parents, he was found to be cheerful and active and his appotite was returning. He reliahed his usual food and he lost the pains in the chest. His description of the effect of Sanatogen was decidedly quaint. said :- I feel while taking it as if some energy or current of strength was being poured into my chest. This is the same

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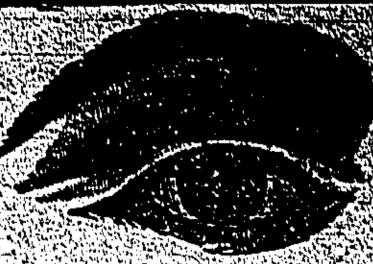
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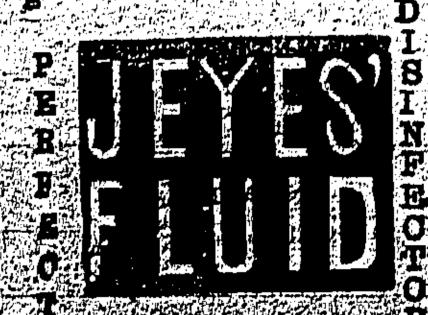
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GEO. P. LAMMERT, Hongkong, April 20, 1912.

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THE ROME CUTRAGE.

Crowd Attempt To Lynch King's Assailant.

Details of the attempt to kill the King of Italy are to band, a message of March 14 s ating .- His Majesty was leaving the Palace for the Pantheon to attend the memorial service for King Humbert, when a man fired waveral shots at him from a revolver. The King was not buyched. The assulant was arrested.

Their Majosties wore in a carriage. attended by an escert of Cuirassiers, under the command of Major Lang. When the carriage was in the Via Lata, near the Cores Umberto, a man atanding by the Palazzo Doria fired three shots from a revolver at the Royal persons gos. Neither the King nor Queen was injured. Major Lang, however, was wounded; The assailant. was at once seized, and their Majesties proceeded on their way to the Pantheon. Ou their arrival his Majesty told the Minist r of Public Instruction of the at tempt on his life. Major Long, who fel from his horse, was quickly conveyed in a carriage to the hospital. 13

The assailant am taken to the police station, where he gave his name as Antonio Dalla, and his age as twenty-one. He described himself as a mason, of Rome. He was so severely handled by the crowd, which attempted to 'yach him, that he can hardly answer the questions which are put to kink. He mude a statement, however, to the effect that he is an Individualist Anarchist, and committed his attempt as a protest against the organi-ation of society.

The return journey of their Majestics to the Quirinal was a progress through deliriously enthusiastic crowds, who swarmed after the Royal carriage crying, "Long live the King and Queen." Shortly after their Majestics had arrived at the Quirinal the King drave out again in an open motorcar, proceeding to the hospital to see Major Lang, the wounded Cuirassier officer: Throughout his drive his Majesty was again aloudly and incessantly cheered. From all quarters demonstrations are being prepared as a protest against the dustridly attempt on the King's life which will but have the effect of making his Majesty still more popular among bid people. The King went through the service at the Pantheon without showing any emotion. When his Majesty left in a clused carriage, together with the Queen, an immense crowd had gethered in the Piazz and gave him a tremendo, sand overwhelming ovation. The crowd became frantic on he corso, near the spot where the attempt occurred, and people in the streets, at the windows, and on balconies cried enthusias-

tically, "Long live the King I Two days previously a message was rec ived from Rome to the effect that the Italian Government had been informed that two dangerous Anarchists one s Czech named Michel Boholasnys, and the other a Maced nian, bo h members of the Anarchist society in Geneva had left Salonica for Naples. The message stated . hat it was understood that these men had received a commission to assussinate Signor Giolitti, the Italian Premier, and the Marquis Di Sin Giuliano, the Foreign Minister, and probably also other members If the Government.

Unnotified.

LEPROSY IN LONDON. Danger of the Disease being

The request of Sir Arthur Downes, oneof the medical officers of the Loc & Government Board, that full information

should be given of every cass of leprosy that is noted in the British islands, ha called a tention to the fact that we st l have this disease to some slight extent amongst us, says the Standard. There are probably 20 or 30 cases in Lundon at the prezent time. 't is unl kely that our greatports are ever quire free from it. But there is not the sightest need for a scare

of any kind. The horror of lepr by is something that somes down to as from times before the afteenth century. The disease, with its white marks on the skip, of which we are old in the Old Testament, was probable leacoderma. That which existed in Egypt about the same time, " lepra," or scale liscast, was no doubt peoriasie. Somewhere about the time of the Churades true luprosy as we know it now was spread all wer Europe. Loper houses were erected n all great towns, but, curiously enough. feutonic nations were the least affected. England suffered very little. Its first leper touse was built at Canterbury in 1036, but ifter 1472, when a house was erected for the same purpose at Highga o, no records can be found of any special accommod ton

having been made for-sufferers from the " OUSTAD BY ANOTHER D SEAS & -Towards the end of the fifteenth cenury bile of the most curious events in the history of disease happened in Central Europe. It is not often that 'ne disease fights another and eventually defeats it. Yet this was undoubtedly the case when cartain infectious diseases were imported possibly from the newly discovered peoples on the other side of the Atlantic. It is not known with any certainty that one discare conquered the other, but it is quite certain that with the appearance and spread of the inter epidemic the older gradually vanished.

and has never taken on its old virulence in It lingered on in a few places, notably in Scuttend, where it remisted putit the last contary. At the present time it is known in Norway, Icelind, all along the shores of the Baltic, and the northern Littoral of the Mediterraneon.

The danger of infection is comparatively small though instances have occurred whore healthy patients have been incoulate od by alsoping in a bed where a leger bes published in the Billish L'edical Journal showing that it was poss bis b. from for theproof to some suincia. MANAGERS of HOTELS, This is ruber contrary to the con-

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Intimations.

A Captain in Kitchener's Scouts



Nervous Breakdown, Paralysis—

The master force which conquered the most perilous afflictions and enabled him to endure amazing hardships, says Captain Henderson, is derived entirely from Phosterine. Exposed by his adventurous life to an extraordinary series of misfortunes, from being disabled in action, to sunstroke, enteric fever, and paralysis of the legs, this gallant officer was vet able, entirely owing to the aid of Phosferine, to leave the hospital and fight through to the end of the Boer War ! Under blows which make men reel and fall, Captain Henderson was so upheld by the vitalising and bracing qualities of Phosferine, that actually on his return home he wis robust and vigorous enough to Win Jour military prizes in one day, including the famous Victoria Cross Cup I

Cured with Signal Success. Captain D.E. Henderson, I, Marino Avenue, Clontarf, Dublin, writes:-"During the late Boer War, I had a severe shock from lightning, and an injury to the spine through my horse being killed in action and rolling on top of me. In India, some years previously, I had an attack of sunstroke, and was five months in hospital with Enteric Fever. These troubles told upon me, and ultimately resulted in a complete nervous breakdown when in Pretoria. I was admitted to hospital when I had lost the use of my legs. I was treated for neuritis and sent out only partly cuted, and then started taking Phosferine systematically and regularly. The benefit I received was marvellous; in two months time I was back.... in the field and fought right through until the end of the war. Owing to a great financial loss, which preyed on my mind, I had a second breakdown, and the doctor told me that I would probably be paralysed for life. I thought again of Phosferine, and after using it about three weeks my strength gradually returned and the frightful depression and weakness left. me. The proof of which is that, in the military sports, I won four prizes its.

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Hongkong, April 20, 1912.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMEN A.

TO. S. 119.—It is hereby notified that the following Sale of Crown Land by Public Auction will be held at the Offices of the Public Works Department on MON-DAY, the 20th day of April, 1912, at 3 p.m. Full Particulars and Conditions may be obtained at this Office.

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W. CHATHAM, Director of Public Works.

Hongkeng, April 20, 1915.

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there will be 2 and 3 million bales on August Sist next to carry over to next season, but there is a great difficulty for th's district (where we require the best stapled American) to find grades to required standards and all the time our spinners are paying points above quoted prices, even up to 150 points we are informed, to obtain cotton of sufficiently good growth and staple. This circumstance should be remembered by buyers of cotton goods abroad as contributing considerably to the firmness already displayed in this market.

We appear to have in front of us a long spell of firm prices, if no an advance above the present level. Manufacturers are so well sold that they will only take further business at full rates, and the total s oppage for a month already in the getting of coal makes them firmer; having many of them paid high prices for further supplies since the Coal strike began, many Mills are already stopped and others will keep closing as their coal is exhausted, reducing the number of manufacturers who care to take further orders, and later on before coal supplies can reach these Mills, production will gradually cease. The worst effects of the coal strike will only be felt some, weeks later, so far anproduction is concerned. The railway systems are rapidly curtailing the opportunities for sending goods, e'c., from one place to another, workers are being turned off in every industry, and soon there would be no means of transit if the coa' miners' strike were to continue. Busine a keepup to a fair extent. Calcutta has been in the market, and the import there of piece goods, yarns and metals for Feb pary was 52,524 packages, being over the monthly average of last year viz :- 618.990 packages. From the remainder of the India markets there is constant enquiry for mi-cellaneous kinds of goods, also from the other Eastern markets, which make up a fair

total from week to week, The mail advices from Shanghai, the 8th inst., state that the outbreaks and looting by the soldiers in the North had stopped business, the Native Banks hesitating to give dealers advances, which otherwise would have been granted, and the increased activity in clearances being stopped Direct cables home announce further looting, and a strong feeling of unrest, up to a few days ago. Hongkong has however done a moderate business. Parliament has passed the Bill to estal lish minimum rates of wages for coal miners, to be settled by Joint District Boards the miners are voting whether to commence work. Meanwhile, and the owners agree to give effect to the provisions of the bill. We therefore hope for an early resumption of Iwork.

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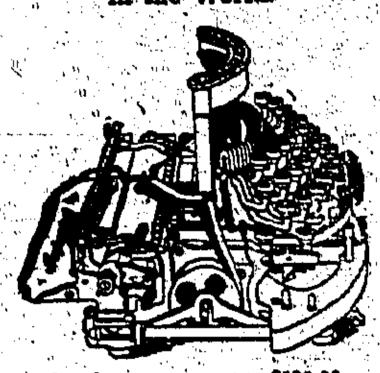
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SPORTING.

Hongkong Schools' Sports.

The annual sports in connection wit the Hongkong Schools took place yesterday at Happy Valley in beautiful weather. and they occasioned a great deal of interest In view of the large number of competitors numerous heats had to be decided before hand and these took place on Saturday, Monday being reserved for the finals. The arrangements were excellent, and reflected much credit upon the officials,

especially Mr S. Hore, the Hom Secretary. The programme included twenty seven. events, and quite a number of championships, for both seniors and juniors. The racing was keenly contested, and some of the finals were exceptionally close.

The sports were under the patronage of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, and the schools which entered for the races included :-Queen's College, Diocesan School, Saiyingpun School, Wantsai School, St. Joseph's College, St. Paul's College, Ellis Kadoorie School, Victoria British School, Anglo-Indian School and Garrison School.

Amongst the large company present was Mr J. R. Wood, Director of Education. Results in the principal events were as

Long Jump (senior championship): 1 William So, 16 feet; 2, E. M. Castro; 3, A. Karrim. 100 Yards Flat Race (junior champion-

ship); I, Wong Shan-nin; 2, C. Gustavo 3, Henry Reich. Time, 11 4-5 secs. This was a good race won by about a yard. 100 Yards Flat Race (senior championship): I. E. M. Castro; 2, A. Karrim; 3, V. Rocaza. Time, 11 3-5 secs.

120 Yards Flat Race handicap, (for boys under 10 years of ago): I, Suleman Samy, yds.; 2, D. Castro, 3 yds.; 3, Abdul Rahim, 6 yds. Time, 17 secs.

1, C. Gustavo and J. M. Briga. dead heat; 3, Wong Shan-nin. The height covered was 4 feet 8] inches.

In the second attempt to determine the winner of the junior championship high jump, some fine sport was witnessed. C. Gustavo and J. M. Braga were the contestants, and the former was adjudged the

High Jump (senior championship) 1, E. M. Castro; 2, A. Karrim; Height 5 ft.

ship): 1. E. M. Castro: 2. A. Karrim: 3. I. Kelly. Time, 36 secs. This was an excellent finish, won by about 11 yards.

One Mile Bicycle Race (bandicap): Chaung U. Pui, owes 10 yds.; 2, Fred Bunje, 30 yds.; 3, A. Gofford, 20 yds. Half-Mile Flat Raco (for Civil Service Challenge Cup): 1, M. Rumjahn: 2, Baumann. Only three competed. Rum-

jahn won by about three yards. 100 Yards Flat Race (handicap), for boys of British parentage; I, F. E. Lammert, scratch; 2, Wm. Gerrard, 3 yds.; 3, Dick Gegg, 3 yds. Time, 14 3-5secs. "220 Yards Flat Race (junior handicap):

1, Wong Shan Nin; 2, C. Gustavo; 3, Henry Reich. Time, 24 1-5secs. The 100 yards race for girls of ten years and over was an easy-win for Maria Loureiro, 3 yds. Gladys Woolley, who received 9 yards, came in second.

100 Yards Hurdle Bace (junior championship): 1, C. Gustavo ; 2, Wong Sham Nin 3, Antonia Dahas. Time, 20 1-5eecs. 120 Yards Hurdle Race (senior championship): A. Karrim; 2, Robert Anderson ; 3, I.: Gomes.

Skipping rao; handicap.; Gladys Woolley, 1, Aida Silva, 2, Maria Loureiro, 3. The 30 yards flat race, for Chinese boys under 19 years of ago, elicited 55 entries. divided into four heats. Final r Tsiu Hon Soon, 20 yards, 1, Cheung U Pui, scratch, 2. Young Ram Ching 25 yards, 3. Time,

220 Yards Flat IJace (handicap), for boys of British parentage: 1 J. Kirby, acratch 2. David S. Porvis, 9 yards; 8, Cecil Maddick, 18 yda. Time, 38secs. Quarter Mila, for boys under 19 years of mig. for the Ellis Kadoone Challenge Cup. I. F. M. Canto 2 A Karrin B. M.

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Carvalho and F. Loureiro : 3, Kwol Shin Chung and Tsang Sun Hon.

Two Miles Bioycle Race, for past pupils. Five started. The mee resolved into a tussic between R. Lee, scratch, and Moyhing, who owed 25 yards, and the last quarter of a mile was keenly contested. Lee won by two yards.

Team race, open to all schools, the trophy being a challerge cup presented by Sir Paul Chater. Nine schools entered. 1. St. Joseph's; 2. Kadoorie School. Time. 4ming. 15sees. The prizes were presented by Mr J. R

Wood, who was heartily thanked for his attendance. The band of the 25th Punjabis was in attendance, under the conductorship of

Shooting.

Mr.E. J. Newmann.

THE INTERPORT MATCH. subscriber writes :- " Could" your Sporting Editor and out what (if any), is being done in the way of getting the team to shoot for Hongkong in the Interport Match i 1 am told the match has to be shot off between 15th April and 15th May. Lelieve, however, the dates are 15th May

It seems to me unless the League Committee "buck up" Hongkong will be left at the bottom of the list as usual. also believe there are about 10 teams in the League. Could not a list showing the position of the lengue-similar to the

cricket league-be drawn up ?-- Yours, Note :- Perhaps the Secretary of the Hongkong Rifle League could enlighten our correspondent on both the points he brings forward .- Ed. C.M.]

A SUICIDAL AGE.

-Dr. Waldo, the city coroner of London, raised some interesting questions about suicide at mi inquest he recently held on a Jew. Not only does the proportion of sufcides vary with different races. It is highest in Saxony, where the rate is nearly 400 suicides yearly, to each million of inhabitants, and is High Jump (junior championship) lowest in Ireland, where the figure is seventeen suicides to a million inhabit ants. The highest rate of self-destruction is found among Protestants, and the lowest among the Jews, with Roman Catholics and members of the Greek church occupying a place between the Increasing pressure of modern work is charged with the responsibility for the growth of suicide. Doubt as to the point, however, is suggested by the fact that suicides are twice as numerous among the unoccupied males as among the occupied. Nor is the theory borne-300 Yards Flat Race (senior champion- out by the fact that engine drivers, who have hard and responsible work, show a low rate of suicide, while bookkeepers and among those who seriously swell the statistics. The coroner said he could count on one hand the inquests he had held on Jows, but the insunity rate among, them is high, but they are abstemious,-insobriety and insomnia he blames for many suicides .- "Halifax-

> The Inverness police are scarching for a man who has been touring the Highlands in motor-cars, presenting, it is alleged, worthiess cheques and claiming | Codfish, Mun Yu. to be " Mr." James MacCallum Mhor, of Glenmore, Argyllshire. He visited soveral Highland mansions, describing Cuttle Fish, Muk Yu ... himself as a laird. He obtained motoring attire at Inverness, and at Aberdeen, it is stated, while his chauffer was ordered to put up at a garage, MacCallum Dog Fish-Tit Tu Se Mhor started on a miduleht motor car | Fole Concor Hoi Mann ride to Perth. He has since been traced to Manchester, MacCallum Mhor is the Gaelic for Great Campbell," head of Ecls, Yellow, -Wong Sin the Clan Campbell-io., the Duke of Frogs, Tien Kai

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Lemms, China -Ning Moong C&ULT America, - Kum San Ning Moon ... lichees Dried - Lai Chi, mall Stone Freeh-Limes, (Saigon) Sai Kung Ning Houng each. Mango, Manila, - Lui Sung Mong Mangosteens, -- San Chuk Tee Oranges, (Canton)-San-shing Tim Ching Ib Oranges Sweet ... Pears, (American), -Kam San Shock Lay

(Cauton), Cooking, -Sa Lay ... Peahuta, -Fa Sang ... Persimmons Large, - Hung Chie Pine-apples, latquality, -Poon Ti Paw Law each 2nd ... Chung-tang Paw Law Plantain,-Tai Cheu Plums, -Swatow, Hung Lai ...

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Benns, (French), Macao, - Oh Moon Pin Tau (French), Shanghai, - Sheung Hai Pin Tau Sprout,-Ah Cho. Long,-Tau Ko Best Root,—Hung Choi Tan &

Brinjals, Green, Ching Yuar Red,-Hung-Ker Cabluge, Chinese, com,-Kai Choy Cabbage Red, -Hung Yes Choy Cubbage, Shanghai,-Yeh Choi Cano Shoots, bunch, - Kau Shun' Cauliflower, Large size, -Tai Yeh Cho Fa

Medium size, Cheung Yeb Cho Fa Small size, Sai Yen Choi Fa Carrots,-Kam Shun Celery, Chinese, -Toug Kan Chci .. English, -Young ,, ,,

Chillies Dried, Gon Lat Chiu Red,-Hung Far Green,-Ching Lat Chin Curry Stuff, English, Kar Lee Uhn Lie Cucumbers,-Ching Twa Bitter Squash,-Fu Kwa

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General Memoranda.

4 p.m.-Special Meeting of H.K. Cham-

12. (1) p.m.—Hongkong Jockey Club-

9 p.m - Raymond - the Conjurer - at the

Noon-Hongkong & Whampon Dock Co.

11 a.m.-Extraordinary General Meet-

9.15 p.m. - Concert at Volunteer Head-

The Clina Mail

Honokono, Tuesday, April 23, 1912.

public prints as a champion of Persia | the front.

against the actions of his own

Secretary of the Persia committee in

England, he opens his mind rather

of the Russian Government in Persia

are nationally harmful to the Russian

people, quite apart from the fact that

they are inhuman in relation to the

Persian people. I am doubtful

whether it would be possible by

means of courts-martial and by execu-

tions, to secure the Persian commercial

market for Russian capital, and I am

convinced that the Russian Govern-

brutality new and irreconcilable

people. Moreover the conduct of the

strengthen the spread of Orthodox

Pan-Islamism, which rejects the

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THURSDAY, April 25 :--

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SATURDAY, April 27:-

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Monday, April 29 :-

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WEDNESDAY, May 1:-

SATURDAY. May 4:-

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doubtedly retards the growth of humaniturian ideals, yet England, even when importing opinin into China, together with that poison, took into the country ideas of constitutionalism and individual freedom. " We see to-day that while China

has not been destroyed by the smoking of opium, it has, on the other been atimulated to greater vigour, and is being revolutionised by the healthy and creative ideas of the West, and is now rebuilding its growded ant-hills on an European basis, and is uniting itself to Aryan culture. From this example, one among many, we are convinced of the vital energy for good inherent in the creative ideas of European culture and in the capacity of Englishmen for furthering those ideas.

"We see, also, that while English enpital is forcing its way into Persia, English public opinion recognises the necessity for establishing a committee for the protection of Persia, and that in England not only is there a society for the study of Eastern culture, but also a special society for studying Persian culture.

"I ask myself what things of great price, what principles of European culture, have been taken by the Russian Government into those realms which they have seized in Central and Underwriting Suspense Account both Asia-Khivu and Bokhara? What creative influences of value can Russinn sovereignty sow in old Iran (Persia)?

"The Russian Government now stands out in Europe as the only Principle Victoria Alexandra's Birthday, defender of the principle of despotic power of the Government over the individual-the East has already recognised the destructiveness of that principle.

"Russin will take a great deal of vodka into the Persian markets, but cannot see what ideas useful to the Persians the Russian Bureaucracy can possibly introduce. Finally, I think that the seizure of Persia has been due, not so much to the interests of Russian capital as to the desire of the 3 p.m.—Sale of trown Lands at P.W.D., dynasty of the Romanoffs to give to their people a new extension of territory, and by so doing to commemorate the 300th anniversary of ing of the H.K. Cotten, Spinning their own etablishment in Russia. This tercentenary—as is well known—is into a source of misfortune for the Russian people, for it is impossible to believe that Persia will reconcile her-Noon-H.K. Electric Co., Ld's Meeting. self to the enslavment which threatens

MAXIM GORKI is evidently one of those who firmly believe that Russia will finally absorb northern Persia, -n belief entertained by many Eng-Great Britain will have to pursue a similar policy with regard to the defence of her position in India. For the moment such big things as Personally we do not think that this the recent coal strike in England, the will come about, for Great Britain has coming Presidential election in the no desire to add to her cares and United States, the Tripolitan war, the responsibilities in the matter of fur-Home Rule proposals, the Titanic ther land-grabbing. To put it on disaster and the Chinese question strictly sordid but utilitarian basis, the have temporarily driven Persia from occupation of Southern Persia, even that if fortune continued to smile upon us the minds of men. The last news under normal peace conditions, would was that Russia and Great Britain involve such a considerable outlay in payment of a bonus to shareholders when had between them lent the distracted recruiting and upkeep alone, that the country unother big sum of money, cost would never be repaid by any just to keep things going, and Persia trade which the country might develop for her part had replied thanking in a very problematical future. It is them and assuring both parties to the far better for Great Britain to mainprotective alliance that she had every tain the present status quo, to remain faith in their bona-lides. Meanwhile in the position of advisory guardian the troublous ex-Shah was to be forced back into Russian territory be content with her present position and several minor chastisements were in the north than for the two Powers to be administered on certain of the to gobble up the country between turbulent hillmen who have lately them. Persia deserves a chance to than would otherwise seem necessary. It been harrassing the Russian detachments scattered throughout northern stitutional lines, and from what we But that things are really can see Great Britain is perfectly settling down in Iran no one really. willing to allow her to do so. The believes. Meanwhile it is interesting unknown quantity, as usual in Central to note that the well-known novelist, Asian politics, is the Russian man-at-MAXIM GORKI, has appeared in the

By repeated request Mr W. Drew country. In the course of a letter to Braidwood will redeliver portions of his lecture on the Highlands and Islands of Scotland in Union Church Hall, Kennedy Road to-morrow (Wednesday) evening at 8.45. It will be illustrated by numerous | whom these continued successes are fine lime-lit lantern views. Admission free. "I am of opinion that the actions

decided, says the Japan Chronicle, to build two large steamers, one to be ordered from the Kawasaki Yard, Kobe, and the other from the Mitsu Bishi Yard, Nameaki. These vessels will be specially designed for design which has not yet been built in Japan. The new vessels will be of 10,500 tons, with turbing engines of high speed. Nothing will be left undone in providing accommodation and luxurious comforts on board, and the cost of the ships is estimated at over Y2,000,000 each. They are to be Russian troops in Persia is serving to completed by the and of next year, and are to be placed on the European line.

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COMPANY MELTINGS.

Union Insurance Society of Canton Ltd.

CHAIRMAN'S REFREENCE TO BECENT RHIPPLNO DISASTERS.

The thirty-linth ordinary meeting shareholders" in the Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limited, was held this morning at the Society's Offices, Queen's

Mr H. A. Siebs, chairman of the Board of Directors, presided, while the other directors present were Mesers A. Forbes. W. L. Pattenden, G. Friesland, J. W. C. Bonnar, G. H. Medhurst, F. H. Arm strong. Fr. Lieb and the secretary (Mr C. Montague Ede). Others who attended were : Mesars W. E. Clarke, J. W. Taylor, E. Ormiston, F. C. Macdonald, D. Macdonald, T. F. Hough, Lo Choung Ship

and H. Hancock. The Chairman said-Gentlemen, The report has been in your hands for a sufficient ime to enable you to study it and I therefore propose to take it, as well as the auditors' report, as read.

The premium income for 1910 is somewhat greater than that of the previous year, which is satisfactory, especially if one bears in mind that' for the purpose of the account sterling was exchanged into dollars. at 1/10,3 as against 1/10,3 in 1909 Interest shows a satisfactory increase, and on the other side of the account that most important i em "charges" shows a material decrease. Our Re insurance Fund and contidue to rise, and yearly provide a greater measure of security to

A comparison of the Society's 1910 outturn with that of the nine leading Marine Insurance Companies at hime is instructive, as showing that we have maintained our lead both in takings and percentage of profit. The comparison also discloses the fact that the total interest carned on investments by our larger competitors at home greatly exceeds the total amount of d vidend paid by them, whilst our profits are such as to enable us to continue from year to year paying away in dividends some two laklis more than our investments earn in interest. This policy although

far it has not prevented a stendy increase in our sesets, should not be carried too far, and shareholders in their own interests would be wish in being quite satisfied with the maintenance of the dividend which we have declared for

three successive years. It must be borne in mind that although the account this time is so favourable, it is quite conceivable that this pitch of excollegeo may not be maintained. Lord Furness, in presiding at the Annual Meeting of the World Marine Insurance Compuny, stated that during the short period fictitions, and this gift will develop of four months 28 steamers had been reported missing and 13 had foundered or been abandoned. The society has been forturate in escaping some of these lesses, but the fact that they do occur in such quantity points to the necessity of Under writers maintaining rates and thus making ample provision for the possibilities which the future may have in store.

It is unusual for the chairman to refer, in his annual speech, to events of the ca rent year, but, as the press of the whole would has been largely occupied in giving River to-day. details of the swful disaster which overlish journalists—and if she does then I took the "Titanic" and as the Society's limits on vessels crossing the Atlantic are very large. I have been asked by my colleagues to tell you that in the 'Titanic's " case we escaped with the southern portion of the country, in comparatively very light loss of £42,000. This loss, as you will at once understand, only partly falls on the Society, the balance being absorbed by our sister company. You will further be glad to hear that we escaped lightly in the case of the

"Oceana" as practically the whole of our line was on treasure and advices to hand are to the effect that it will all be salved at comparatively small cost. My predecessor in the chair last year stated that he thought that a 830 dividend should be regarded as high-water mark, but he saw no reason why we should not be able to somewhat increase the dividend by the the outturn of any particular year warranted it. The outturn of 1910 would seem to warrant the payment of a small bonus to shareholders' this year, but, gentlemen, it was impossible for the chairman 1910 to foresee the breaking out of the rebellion in China and the consequent shrinkage and dislocation of trade. Even the wisest and the hest-informed of us cannot yet tell what the outcome of that movement may be, or how soon trade conditions may begin to improve, of Persin, and to pursuade Russia to and therefor after very mature deliberation your Direct ra have come to the conclusion that the wiser policy for them to Titanic. pursue is to husband the Society's strength and carry forward to Underwriting Sus pense Account a larger amount of money this view I feel sure that you will a work out her own salvation on con- entirely concur and will endorse the recommendation of your directors that a final dividend on account of 1910 of \$20 per share should be declared, that £10,000 should be added to Sterling Peserve Fund. and that the balance of \$518,000 shall be carried forward. The figures for 1911 quite satisfactory as regards probable outturn, although there is shrinkago in premium, income due, as have just told you, to disorganisation of trade. Your directors, however, feel quite justified in recommending the payment, of as interim dividend of \$30 per share and a beaus on contributory business of 20%. You will be pleased to learn that, while giving shareholders and contributors full consideration in strangtheoing cour reserves, we have not forgotten our staff to

them a bonus of 15 per cent, of a year's The Nippon Yusen Kaisha has salary to the Provident Fund of each member who is in our service on the 30th of There being no questions put, the Chair man moved the adoption of the report and combined passenger and freight traffic -a wild . In riving to second the adoption of the report and accounts I should live to congestulate the Society on the excellent figures they have placed before us. There is no doubt the directors could have paid shareholders a bonus on the result of last years working, but still I think the

large measure due, and we have voted

majority of the shareholders consider that. sta e of China, the directors have acted most prudently in further increasing the given ordinary conditions, and a favourable invited year, the directors will not look upon a created that as the Society is doing or Low El of the most common silipents the trail the property to recipe the recipie the

class of ships it sooms to me that the Society should fro to maintain full raises inabuad of consenting to any reduction. Finally, gontlemon, I am sure you will all most cordially app ove of the bonus voted to the staff. The excellent results that have been attained are in themselves a high tribute to the merit of the staff. a former chairman of your Society I can tentify to their loyalty, while the figures

thornelves testify to their ability. Upon the motion of Mr Dunbar seconded by Mr Clark, Mr Fr. Lieb and Mr. G. Friesland were re-elected

Mr Taylor proposed and Mr Macdonald seconded, that Mesera Y. Hutton Potts and A. R. Lowe be re-appeinted as auditors. The motion was unanimously

The Chairman announced that dividend warrants were then ready, and could be had upon application at the office of the Mail

China Traders' Insurance Co.,

The ordinary general meeting of the above. Company was held to-day. Mr G H. Medhurst presided, and there were also present :- Mesers A. Forbes, F. Lich. Freisland, W. L. Pattenden, J. W. C. Bonnar, and F. H. Armstong (directors). Hunter, A. E. S. Alves, F. Ceddes, H. J. M. Carvalho, B. M. C. Cunha, Remedics and J. A. Carvalho, with Mr Montague Ede, Secretary.

The Secretary having read the notice convening the meeting, the Chairman said :- Gentlemen, -I will, with your permission, take the report and accounts and auditors' report as read. It compares favo rably with that issued last year, the our divisible be ance being practically identical. We propose to deal with the balance as follows: -To pay a final dividend of \$4 per share on account of 1919, making that year; to place £10,000

sterling reserve; and to forward the balance to underwriting suspense account. As regards 1911, the statistical position of that year is excellent, although the premium is somewhat smaller than in the previous year, and as the account seems likely to be as favourable as the one now presented we have no hesitation in recommending the payment of an interin dividend of \$4 per share and a bonus of 20 per cent. on contributory

No questions were asked, and the Chairman moved the adoption of the report and accounts? This was seconded by Mr Ede and carried.

Mr Hunter proposed the re-election of Mesars F. Lieb and G. Freisland to the Directorate. Mr H. J. M. Carvalho seconded.—Carried. On the motion of Mr Cunha, seconded

by Mr Remedios, Messrs H. U. Jefferies and A. R. Lowe were re-appointed The Chairman-That is all the business; gentlemen. Dividend warrants are now ready and may be had on application.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

Torpedo-bont 037 is due here this

H. M. S. Handy returned to the West

irth and death day of Shakespeare Water shortage is reported in Manila.

and the exercise of economy is recommended by the newspapers. As the Criminal Sessions were completed yesterday, no jurors will be required

to attend on Monday next. Charged with an unnatural offence at Malay States Volunteer Rifles. the Criminal Sessions yesterday afternoon,"

Suttan Feroye, serang of the s.s. Nubia, was discharged. The Great Raymond, who opens at

the Theatre Royal on Saturday next,

arranging for a Matines for children on

Wednesday, May 1st. After hearing the evidence in the harbour robbery case at the Criminal Sessions yesterday, the jury returned a verdict of "Not Guilty," and the prisoners were dis-

.The Shanghai General Chamber Commerce sent a message of sympathy to the White Star Line Co. last week receipt of the news of the loss of the ledge could not fail to be of great use

At the Marine Court to-day a Chinese was fined 85 for failing to licence his boat, while sums of \$2 each were imposed upon two other defendants for infringement of ealling regulations.

The Hongkong Garrison orders state that from May 1st to November 15th caps are not to be worm after 7 a.m. or before 5 p.m., but that helmets or topees should invariably be worn between these hours.

A meeting of the Licensicy Board will held in the Council Chamber Wednesday, May 1st, for the purpose of considering an application from Mr F. Chopard for the transfer to him from Mr L. Gamean of the publican's licence to sell by retail intoxicating liquors on premises No. 18, Queen's Road Central, under the sign of "The Aster House Hotel."

On Thursday post, 25th lust, there will be High Mass with Pontifical assistance at the Roman Catholio Cathodral at 7.30 a.m. on the occurron of the golden jubiles of Mr Ormiston, in seconding the motion the priesthood of the Rev. Father Andrew Leong. The Mass will be celebrated by Rather Leong sesisted by Bishop Pozzoni and the Catholio clergy. The ceremony on this occasion, which will be in Chinese, will be preached by a Chinese priest from Canton: We understand that on the same taking into scount the present upsettled day the Chinese Outholic Community in Hongkong will entertain the venerable reserves rather than paying away a bonus. priest at luncheon to which a limited At the same time it is nice to know that, number of loveign guests have been

LIME BACK

THE RESERVES DINNER

On Saturday night last the Hougkoux Volunteer Reserves hold their annual dinner at Volunteer Headquarters. To at excellent repast a goodly number Reserves and guests sat down, among the latter being H. E. Mr Claud Severn, the Officer Administering the Government, Col. Chapman, H.K.V.C.; Capt Badeley; Hon Mr Rees Divies, K.C., Mr R

Su'herland, and others, After the toust of "the King," His Excellency presented the prizes to the successful winners at the Reserves' meeting held on Friday, 5th April, a report of which has already appeared in the China Ramos and Ramos and a very enjoyable

Mr Wakeman (President of the Reserves and Chairman for the evening proposed the health of His Excellency, which was enthusiastically hon- ured. In the course

of his speech Mr Wakeman said :--"The Hongkong Volunteer Reserve was formed in September 1910 under the provisions of Ordinance 25 of 1910. The minimum age is in the case of men who have not served in His Majesty arrived from England on Sunday and is Regular Land or Sea Forces 35 years, or I tak n on the strength of the command. 83 years in the case of men who have served in any Volunteer Force for B years, or 30 years for those who have served in a Volunteer Force for 5 years. The Volunteer Reservo was formed on evening to celebrate St George's Day:

the initiative of Sir Henry May, late-President of the Old Volunteer Reserve Association, now defunct and on the recommendation of the Defence Committee who declined to recognize the old Association as forming part of the Defence Forces of the Colony unless the members would consent to be enrolled and undergo a certain amount of Military Training. The average subscription is \$3. The Ordinance and the Regulations of the 25th February, 1911, provide that

members shall attend at least 6 Drills each year and shall be annually inspected by an officer appointed by the Governor and shall fire the Musketry Course laid down for the Volunteers for which ammunition is provided free by the Government who also provide ammunition for practice at a reduced cost. The management of the Reserves is vested in the President and a Committee appointed by the members. At present no uniform worn. The members at present number 104 (some of whom are absent on leave) and consist largely of ex-service men and men who served for a considerable period in the Volunteers or Yeomanry either bere, at Home, or elsewhere abroad. The Reserves were inspected on the

2nd inst. by Lieut.-Col. Chapman and there were 73 on parade. 80 members have fired the Musketry Course, 52 made scores of 50 and upwards (30 being the score to qualify). 25 of whom made scores of 65 and unwards, which is considered very good 13 members, mostly beginners, failed to

reach the qualifying standard." Mr Severn replied in a speech delivered in a clear tone. He said :-

Mr. Wakeman, Colonel Chapman and Gentlemen :--

I thank you very much for drinking the toast of my health in so kind a man-This is St. George's Day also the ner and your Mr. Wakeman, for what you and you. Mr. Wakeman, for what you have said about me: It has given me Scotanan. Shortly after the wreck of the much pleasure to come here to-night to enjoy your hospitality and to present the P. and O. liner Delhi, which had such prizes won in the rifle competitions.

The change which led to the Volunteer Reserve Association becoming the Hong kong Volunteer Reserves is interesting to me, as a somewhat similar change has recently been made in the Federated Mulay States where the Perak Rifle Association has become merged in the corps has increased during the last two years, from one company all in Sclangor, of which I had the honour to be an original recruit in 1902, to about 600 men forming five companies—two in Perak two in Selangor and one in Nepri Sembilan. This wonderful advance has been made possible chiefly by the large number of young meh who have gone to the F.M.S. in connection with the Rubber Plantations. You have now become disciplined force and a part of the gar-

rison of Hongkong.

'It appears to me that the Hongkong Volunteer Reserves, a body of men of education and training approaching middle age, have a definite useful work which they can do and that is to obtain n real and detailed knowledge of the topography of this Colony by a systematic examination of the country. Such know to the military authorities, who are necessarily only here for a short time. Your shooting capacity, which I am glad to hear is good, will be in no measure

lessened by such training. "I am of opinion that you should have a uniform. Something quite simple and which will not hamper you in climbing over hilly country in hot weather. I will give the Reserves a feeling of unity and, however, independent your action may be in acquiring such knowledge as I have indicated, it is essential that the corps must occasionally meet on parade and the absence of a uniform would be

I-have had an opportunity of reading the proceedings at the farewell dinner in January 1911 given by Sir Henry May. see that in the course of his speech on that occasion Sir Henry May said :-

It gives me great pleasure to he the Reserve over to such an excellent successor. Your new president. Mr. Wakeman. Is an old Volunteer cofficer, who has had a good deal of "experience. You know what great interest he has taken in the old " Volunteer Reserve Association, and how hart he has worked in the organization of the present Reserve I do not think that I could hand "over this Reserve to better custody and I call upon you to show. your gratitude by bucking up Mr. Wakeman in every possible way. making this resurvo a real livit. ganization-not a mera paper Reserve; but a real good bit of fighting

hot. You can as I have shown make yourselves really useful to the Regular, Garrison and under Mr. Wakeman's lead there is every hope that the Reserves will continue to increase in numbers and efficiency. As regards the numbers lisee that Sir Heury May wald at the cooking sion of his speech I I do como beck, il want to see

Confirment I am sure you are doing

Ha Volunteer Besteve 200 Mir Ook.

a pity if the early days of his term were to be disturbed by the promised fow. It therefore lies with you to increase the numbers. They are now 106, and when I have handed over to Sir Henry May shall be very pleased if I may be admitted to be a member of the Reserves. Gentlemen, I again thank you for your kindness in asking me here this evening and I ask you to drink the toast of the Hongkong Volunteer Reserves and L couple with the tensil the name of Mr. Wakeman, your President.

Mr Sutherland made a very humourous aboech in replying for the guests; he also gave two elever representations.

During the course of the ovening His Excellency sung two songe. Some good moving pictures were exhibited by Mossiw Jasqu Kaw painsys

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

The death is reported at Bombay of Mrs Nicholson, wife of a former accountant of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank.

Capt. W. F. Gilchrist, K.O.Y.L.I.

I is Excellencey Mr Chard Severn is giving a dance at Government House this

We understand that Sir Francis Piggott will be engaged until the end of May in the revision of the laws of the Colonyo

after which he will make a trip to Japan.

Count Ahlefoldt-Laurvig, who was formerly attached to the Russian Legation, has now been appointed Dunish Minister to China and to Japan, with his headquarters

The Psking Daily News learns from Tsingtao that authracite coal from Honau is now arriving at Tsinanfu; coming from the district of Huchingfu. It is shipped from the port of Huangho to Lokou by junks. This coal is smokeless and is steadily increasing in demand by the Chinose as

Writing with regard to the award of medals and other distinctions by the Royal Geographical Society, news of which we printed through Reuter's service a month ago, The Times says :- Finally, there is the Cuthbert Peak Grant, which goes this year to Mr Cecil Clementi, the Assistant Colonial Secretary of Hongkong, who has travelled extensively in Central Asia, one journey in particular, in 1907-8, extending from Audijan, the terminus of the railway in Russian Central Asia, right across the Chinese Empire to Hongkong, a distance of about 4,000 miles.

'A recent example of kindness on the part of Queen Alexandra is called attention to by the Landon correspondent of the disastrous consequences for the Royal Household, an inventor who has been almost worsted in the struggle with Whitehall wrote to her Majesty pointing out that if the unfortunate vessel had had ou board a recording instrument of his, it was likely that shallow water would have been discovered in time to prevent the stranding. Queen Alexandra despatched a messenger to the south-east district of London, where the inventor resides, and caused inquiries to be made after his welfare, and as to the prospects of the patent. Next Jay a 25 note followed. Since than an investigation has been made by a representative of the Admiralty, and there. is reason to believe that the matter will be

RECEIVER'S CLAIM FAILS.

In the Summary Court, before Mr. Justice Gompertz, this morning, L. Ron Id Needham, solicitor, sued Wu Wan-cho, merchant, for 1977, 30 said to be due to him as receiver of the book debts of the Hip Tak Lung Firm, formerly carrying on business as silk merchan's and drapers, under an order made by the Court on November 4th, 1911. A sum of \$140.93 had been paid into Court by the defendant. Mr Needham conducted his own case, and Mr Bush was for defendant.

Mr Needham stated that there was apparently only one maniging partner of the firm, who died and left his business insolvent, with a large number of creditors. He (Mr Needham) was appointed Receiver with a view to collecting a number of book debis. Blowy of the deltors had paid but une or two of them, including the defendant, had refused to admit liability, and l had been thought advisable to sue one of them so so to securiain what was the logal position in regard to the outstanding debtehe amount claimed was made up of sums for goods sold and delivered to the defundant and his concubines. After evidence and been called, Mr Russ sulpolitted that the case had not been made

His Lordship Was the money paid inti-Court with an admission of liability Mr Ilias Ve admit that amount but my friend would not take it out. I think lie will be very well allyised to socept it. His Lardship-Woll, he can't do aty

Aldgment was accordingly entered in plaintiff for the amount paid into Court defendant to hace the operation

COME DE SOR WELL BOUNDED Lite Volunteer Court of No. 1 Court of the C

[Corynight.]

"TITANIO DISASTER.

OTHER SHIPPING LINES.

(Reuter's Service to the China Hail.) Lendon, April 22.

Shipowners are hurriedly providing liners with collapsible boats, in addition to the existing lifeboats,

SEARCHING FOR THE DEAD.

The steamer Mackay-Bennett, which was cent out specially equipped to search for bodies; has arrived on the scene of the wreck, and has begun searching for bodies, a number of which have already been picked up by another vessel.

A SERIOUS ALLEGATION.

A steward of the Titanic asserts that he overheard two lookout men declaring that they informed the "bridge" of the sighting of the iceberg a quarter of an hour before the disaster, but that the Buxton, President of the Board of report was ignored. The steward swam' Trade, announced that steps were alongside a raft until somebody died being taken to constitute the strongest possible court of enquiry into the loss and made room for him.

A DENIAL.

authority. Secondly, a shipping Reuter's agent at Bremen states that advisory committee would consider the the Captain of the Frankfurt has sent a new situation which has arisen. The wireless message to the owners denying matter could not be finally cleared up on a flight from Holyhead to Dublin, the testimony of Bride, the surviving till the enquiry had concluded, but disappeared, and on trace of him can wireless operator, and declaring that he questions as to the routes, speec, wireresponded immediately to the call and less and the use of searchlights could reached the scene at 100.50 (?). be immediatly examined. Thirdly,

This is practically borne out by the after receiving the reports of the above Captain of the Virginian, which has he would advise the House of Comarrived at Liverpool, who reports that mons if a national or international shortly after 5.45 on the morning of the commission of inquiry were necessary. 15th, while he was hastening towards Fourthly, the Board, of Trade the Titanic, he was in communication with the California, Carpathia, Frankfurt and Baltic, all of which were harrying in the direction of the Titanic. The Carpathia sent a wireless message at 10 o'clock telling him to turn back, revision of statutory rules. as everything was all right.

It appears that the Californian was only seventeen miles from the Titanic, "but failed to pick up her wireless. (42]

AUSTRIAN GOVERNME T ACTION.

A telegram from Reuter's agent in interest is being evinced, and the hall Vienna states that the Austrian Govern- was packed, while a number of people ment is arranging to furnish wireless swarmed outside and looked in through apparatus and operators to ships, on pay- the windows. ment of £100 yearly, on condition that the shipowners pay the Government three per cent. on any salvage money earned through the use of the wireless. The Government equipment lis optional, but a wireless installation is obligatory on Austrian passenger ships plying cast

MR STEAD'S LAST CONVER-SATION.

-The New York correspondent of the Star states that the American lawyer Mr Seward, table companion of the late Mr W. T. Stead on the Titanic, relates that Mr Stond was often talking of American and British politics. He spoke much of the opprobrium heaped on him owing -tohisopposition to the South African War, and rejoiced that like Mr Lloyd George he had latterly been vindicated.

His last conversation was about Cecil. Rhodes, and he said, that at one time he was part heir to the Empirebuilder's eight millions, but he deliberately sacrificed the heritage on opposing the Boer War,

He was one of the few on deck when the Titanic struck. He preserved a beautiful composure. None knew his and except that he faced death with philosophic resignation.

MR ISMAY'S CONCLUSIONS.

Reuter's New York corresponden wires that Mr Ismay, chairman of the White Star Company, says he supposed the Senate enquiry was for the purpose of ascertaining how similar disasters could be prevented, and not to inquire intehis personal conduct, though he was willing to tell everything. He was throughout a passenger, and did not interfere in any way with the navigation of the ship, etc.

The accident, says Mr Ismay, has proved the futility of "unsinkable" vessels, and present legal requirements must be changed. Owners must no Longer rely too much on water-tigh compariments and wireless; there mus be lifeboats and rafts sufficient for every soul on Loand with enough men to

[Corremare] and collected throughout. He kept the steerage passes gers quiet, and Mr Ismay THE FEZ RIOTS. and the officers searched for minutes calling for any more women. There

were forty women in the boat and only

two seamen." Consequently the officers

asked Mr Ismay and Mr Carter to go

Carpathia was sighted. Mr Ismay rowed

THE RELIEF FUNDS.

The Mansion House Fund now totals

The total funds so far amount to

ROMAN CATHOLIC SERVICE

took place in Westminster Cathedral

to-day, there being a crowded congrega-

BRITISH ACTION.

In the House of Commons, Mr.

of the Titanic, the court to be specially

presided over by a high judicial

WHITE STAR AGENT

QUESTIONED.

Reuter's Washington correspondent

Mr Franklin, Agent of the White

mitted to a severe cross-examination

with a vie * to clearing up the mystery

surrounding the supposed suppression

of news of the sinking of the liner. He

deposed that the first he heard of the

collision was at 2.20 o'clock on the

morning of the 15th inst through

asked not to publish the report with a

view to preventing unnecessary alarm,

reports were issued from the White

based on newspaper and private reports

and on runtours from Cape Race, but t

from the chaff.

was impossible to separate the wheat

He knew nothing regarding a telegram

received by a Congressman purporting

to emanate from the White Star Com-

pany declaring that all aboard were

He emphatically declared that the first

he heard of the actual sinking was

at 6.27 o'clock in the evening on Mon-

day-the 15th. When he heard the news

he was prostrated for a moment, and

when he recovered he telephoned to the

Directorsy afterwards going to see the

reporters who were waiting. He began

to read aloud :- "The Titanic sank a

2.20", and when he looked round th

JOINED THE MAJORITY

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.

The death is announced of Mr Bram

[Note.-Deceased, who was educated in

Dublin University, was a man of many

parts. He was athletic champion of his

University and President of the Uni-

versity's Philosophical Society, and whilst

(Abraham) Stoker, M.A., the well known

anthor, and authority on history and

LONDON, April 22.

ing to the telephones.

eporters had vanished and were rush

the Associated Press, which

wires that the Senate enquiry into the

disaster has been resumed. Intense

London, April 23.

souls of those lost in the Titanic disaster | French killed 800 rioters.

Newspaper funds reach £25,500.

sinking Titanic.

TERRIBLE SAVAGERY. Reuter's Service to the China Mail.

and row, and this they did till the A wire from Reuter's Paris correspondent states that the total military continuously and would not look at the casualties during the Fez riots were 25

killed and 60 wounded.

London, April 22.

The papers publish texrible narratives. of the savngery of the mob, which paraded the streets carrying horribly mutilated bodies and heads of Europeans spears. Unbridled licence prevailed for three days, the Jews being particularly singled out and barbarously ill-treated. Many were thrown from the house tops. and girls were violated. Four thousand A Requiem Mass for the repose of the Jews took refuge in the palace. The

THE FRENCH LOSSES.

London, April 23.

General Monier now reports by telegraph that quiet has been restored in Fez, but the French losses were 15 officers killed and four wounded, and 40 men killed and 70 injured. Thirteen civilians were also killed.

MISSING AIRMAN.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.) LONDON, April 22.

An Irish aviator named Allen, while

ANGLO-GERM &N NEGOTIATIONS.

BRITAIN REJECTS NAVAL PROPOSAL

had convened a conference of repre-Reuter's Service to the China Mail. sentatives of the British shipping com-LONDON, April 22. panies for a prompt exchange of views The Daily News understands that as to what measures the companies themselves contemplate pending the

Germany has offered to withdraw her supplementary Navy Bill, and to abide by the old law upon certain conditions. which the news received does not specify. but that Britain has declined to accept. The Colonial negotiations, on the contrary, are progressing satisfactorily.

AVIATOR'S FEAT.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.) London, April 22"

Mr Corbett Wilson has neroplated from Fishguard" to Enniscorthy, Wex-Star Company in New York, was sub- ford. He landed in rain and fog.

THE DARDANELLES

Reuter's Service to the China Mail.) London, April 22.

Mr Acland, in the House of Commons, announced that there is at present no blockade of the Dardanelles, and Britain had communicated with Turkey express ing the hope that the Straits would soon but the news had already been given be opened, in view of the injury to ship- institute proceedings for perjury. His Mr Franklin admitted that reassuring ping. The Government believed that application for a copy of the depositions Turkey was fully, alive to the importance Star Company's offices, these being of the situation.

CHINESE REPUBLIO.

(Wah Tsz Yat Po's Service.) PEKING, April 22.

The foreign Financial Agents have refused to pay over further instalments safe. No messages were issued by the of the loan until Tang Shao-yi has Company |containing definite informa, declared that he has not misconstrued the decision of the Conference.

Various committees in the capital have invited subscriptions for erection of bronze statues of Sun Yat-sen, Yuan Shih-kai and Li Yuan-heng.

SHANGHAI, April 22. Chan Chi-mi, Governor General Shanghai, has given up his post and has gone to Peking sa the Minister Industry and Commerce. All the troops which were formerly under him have been transferred to the command of General Work Hing.

Commander Lau Fook-piu, while returning from an official entertainment, was arrested by a foreign constable in Shanghai. The cause is unknown.

SHIPPING MISHAP

SIBERIAN MAIL STEAMER ASHORE

(From Our Occa, Correspondent, 1)

Salschil April 22 The Siberion mail steamer Baikin Maru Irom Daloy want ashore on the was a bariater-in-law, and a prolific writer | north-past promontory last evening

SPORTING.

The fifth and sixth games between the Volunteers and Royal Engineers in the final of the Soldiers' Club Tournament. were I layed last evening."

At the commencement of play the Volunteers held 24 points in hand. The first pair, to meet were Capt Lammert and Sapr Bennett. This was anybody's game up to about three parts, of the distance; the Engineer then fell to pieces, the Volunteer running to his points 52 to the good. Breaks: -winner, 19, 14, 15,17 and 20 loser, 14 (twice) 18 and 22.

The second game, between Mr Barlow and Sapr Morgan, resulted in a further win for the Volunteers by identically the same score, 52 points. Breaks: winner, 13, 14, 15 and 27; loser, 12, 13 and 15,

ROYAL ENGINEERS. VOLUNTEERS. Capt. Lammert 250 Sapr. Bennett 198 Mr Barlow 250 Sapr. Morgan 198 The last games will be played on Thurs-

Lawn Tennis.

day night commencing at 7.30 p.m.

HONGKONG C. C. TOURVAMENTA The latest results are: CHAMPIONSHIP SINGLES.

Third round-R. F. Stone, best A R Sutherland 6-2, 6-3, 5-4; Capt. James best A. H. Crook 9-7, 3-6, 6-4, 8-6.

Fourth round-H. A. Weshit best C. Dispensary in Hongkong. Willson 6-0, 6-1, 6-2; S. E. Green beat Capt., Bowen 6-4, 6-3, 4-6, 3-6, 7-5; H. Hancock beat Lieut Carter 8-8, 6-0, 3-6,

SINGLES HANDICAP "A" CLASS. Second round-Capt. Brierley (owes 15/3) beat R. F. C. Master (owes 2/6) 8-6,

Third round-Lieut. Attwood (recs. 15/1) bent T. H. King (rocs. 4/6) 6-4, 8-6. DOUBLES HANDICAP "A CLASS. Third round-H. R. Phelips and H. A.

Nesbit (owe 30) bent Capt Day and Col. Hamilton (owe 30) 8-6, 6-3. PROPESSIONAL PAIRS.

Third round-R. Hancock and R. D. Stewart best L. Sandercock and J. W. Stephenson Jellie 6-3, 6-2. HINGLES HANDICAP " B" CLASS.

Third round -M. M. Mans (recs. 3/6) beat H. H. Taylor (owes 2/6) 9-7, 6-1; P. P. J. Wodehouse (recs 2/6) beat Ligut. Lewes (scr.) 6-3, 6-2.

AT THE MAGISTRACY.

Two blue sckets from the Gunboat Argus were charged with disorderly behaviour. They were discharged upon paying 83.10 as componention for damage

A Chinese was heavily fined for baving in .. his in possession two taals of prepared opium, a revolver and several rounds of ammunition contained in a box with a false bottom.

A Chinese woman at the Magistracy this morning stated that two men visited her house recently. They became very violent, one of them rendering her helpless by means of a rope, while the other pointed a revolver at her. The woman subsequently admitted that her report was falso, whereupon two men, who were arrested were discharged.

This afternoon are application was made by Mr Gardiner for a copy of depositions taken in a case in which a man was charged with having in his possession on board the s.s. Empire a quantity of prepared opium. He understood that it was not found on board the s.s. Empire, as stated by a constable, but on a sumpan. He intended to

A charge of assaulting a child was preferred against a respectably attired young Chinese woman named Chui Sam Ku, alias Mul Mui of 81, Praya East. It was stated by a lady doctor that on the 17th. inst, she examined the child and found severe bruising on the shoulders and arms. In reply to the magistrate she said that part of the bruising appeared to have been caused by a cane or red.

Answering Mr L. D'Almada, who defended, she admitted that some of the marks might have been due to a fall. She added that the marks had disappeared since the 17th inst. whereupou Mr. D'Almada remarked that they could not have been very severe. Witness added that judging by their appearance force must have been used. The case was remanded until to-

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April 19, Ald Maru, Yorck.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Oriental with the English Mail, left Singapore on Briday, the 19th April, at 4 p.m., and may be expected here on Washing, one 24th April, at 7 a.m. This packet brings parcel Mails closed in London for despatch by the all sea route on the 21st March, and for despatch overland on the 27th March. TATE IL K. s.c. Chego Moseu with U.S.

mail is expected to arrive at this port on Tuesday, the 23rd April, between 2 and 4 p.m. The C. R. R. Co.'s R.M.S. Empress of Japan arrived at Kobe at 5.30 p.m. on Saturday, the 20th April, and left On

again at midnight, on the same day for Shanghai, where she is due to ar- On rive at 3 a.m. on Wednesday, the 2ith April. The P. M. S. S. Co.'s a.s. Mongolin bailed from San Francisco on the 10th April

for Hongkong, via Honolulu, Yokohama, Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai, and is due to arrive at this cort on the 7th May.

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The Austrian Lloyd's a.s. B. F. Ferdinand left Singapore for this port on the 20 h Airil, and is due here on the

25th April, a.m. The A. & M. Line s.s. Walter Hall left Bingipure in Friday, the 19th April. and it due bere on or about Thursday,

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The P M. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Nile from San Gowns, Huckaback Towels, Ladies Under-Francisco sailed from Yokohama on the 22nd April en route for Hongkong. and is due to arrive at this port on

30th April The N. D. L. s.s. Collens left Sydney, on Wednesday, the 10th April at noon, and may be expected here on or about the 3rd May.

Untest Advices. The N. D. L. s.s. Buelow carrying the German Blails with dates from Berlin of the 3rd April, left Colombo on Sunday, the 21st April, and may be

expected here on or about Thursday, the 2nd May. The N. D. L. s.s. Prinz Ludwig which left here on Thursday, the 18th April, at 8 a.m., arrived at Shanghai on Sunday, the 21st April, at 3 p.m. The N. D. L. s.s. Luctow which left here

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FROM SAN FRANCISCO, VIA HONO LULU & JAPAN PORTS.

THE Steamship CHITO MARU. apove - named steamer having Consigners of Cargo are hereby Dorother Rickners for Yukohama, notified to send in their Bills of Lading for presentature, and to take immediate delivery of cargo from alongside. Cargo remaining undelivered on FRI-DAY, 26th inst., at 5 p.m. will be landed

Clara Jebsen, for Sinkapore, Kwongsang, for Canton. Cheongshing, for Canton. at Consignees' risk and expense and delivery Huitan, for Swatow and Foschow. Kaifong, for Manila and Hollo. must then be taken from Company's Godown. No Fire Incurance whatever will be No claims will be recognised after the Hiroshima Maru, for Kobe.

Goods have left the Steamer or Godown, and all goods remaining undelivered on May 3rd, afternoon, will be subject to rent and landing charges. All chated and otherwise damaged cargo to be left on board or in Godown, exammation of same to be arranged. All claims must be filed on or before

May 10th, otherwise they will not be recognized. M. MATSUA, Agent.

Hongkong, April 23, 1912.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS FRUM EUROPE.

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Unable to Do the Slightest Thing. Irritation Almost Drove Her Mad. Cuticura Remedies Cured Her. No Return of Complaint Since:

bad attack of ecrems on both hands and unable to do the slightest thing. I did not know what to do for relief. The ecsema appeared on the backs of both hands and between the fingers in the form of small pimples which were filled with a clear fluid, the hands being very much swollen and the irritation so bad that it almost drove me mad. time and I kept on trying all

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9d. and soon obtained relief. I continued
using them and they entirely cured me. My
hands were entirely healed and although it to now twenty-six years ago that I was cured. complaint, thanks to the Cuticura Remedica which I must say ought to be in every home." (Signed) Mrs. Sheldrake, 36, Upland Road, Ipswich, England, July 12, 1911. For more than a generation Cuticura Scap and Ointment have afforded the most eco-"nomical treatment for affections of the akin and scalp. A single cake of Cuticum Boan and box of Cuticura Ointment are often suffi-

cient. Sold throughout the world. A sample

of each with 32-p. book free from nearest

depot: F. Newbery & Sons, 27; Charterhouse Sq., London: R. Towns & Co., Sydney, N.S. W.; Lennon, Ltd., Cape Town; Muller, Maciean & Co., Calcutta and Bembay; Potter Drug &

Chem. Corp., sole props., Boston, U. S. A.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. The Parcel Post system to the follow ing places in China is for the present suspended; Hupeh, Hunan and Tengyueh

"Only fully prepaid Letters and post cards are transmissible by the SIBERIAN ROUTE to EUROPE. Letters for this route should be superscribed via SIBERIA Mails will for Close :-

Per Si-Kiang, at 8 a.m., on Wednesday "Atouta Mary, Japan, so steamer, 5,284, the 24th April. Nagao, Shanghai April 19, General.-PARHOI'& HAIPHONG! Per Hongkong, at 9 s.m., on Wednesday Michael Jebsen, German str., 951, J the 24th April. SHANGHAI, NORTH CHINA JAPAN Via KOBE.

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Quinta, German str., 900, Schlesinger, Per Sithonia, at 9 a.m., on Wednesday Bangkok and Swatow April 21, Rice .the 24th April. Per Michael Jebsen, at 10 a.m., on Wednesday, the 24th April. Loongsang, British str., 1.093, W. G. SWATOW. G. Leask, Manila April 20, General. -Per Haimun, at 10 a.m., on Wednesday

SWATOW, AMOY, FORMOSA & FOO Capt. A. F. Lucas, American str., 3,900. G. Bunting, San Francisco March 23, Oil. Per Kaijo Maru, at 11 a.m., on Wednes day, the 24th April. Sithonia, German str., 3,556, Kutzte, TSRAITS & INDIA VIA CALCUTTA. Hamburg and Singapore April 17, General. Per Japan, at noon, on Wednesday, the

Haimun, British str., 641, A. H. Stewart, MACAU. Per Sui Tai, at 1.15 p.m., on Wednes Swatow April 22, General. - Douglas day, the 24th April. CHEFOO. Johanne, German str., 952, M. Ipland, Per Fri. at 3 p.m., on Wednesday, the Rangoon April 11, Rice. - Jessen & Co. 24th April.

Hiroshima Mam, Japanese steamor, SHANGHAI & NORTH CHINA. 2.035, S. Hirase, Bombay and Singapore. Per Oriental, at 4 p.m., on Wednesday, the 24th April. Siberian Mail to Europe. Rajaburi, German str., 1,189, C. Wolff, Bangkok and Swatow April 22, Rice .-SHANGHAI & NORTH CHINA.

Per Chinhua, at 3 p.m., on Thursday, the 25th April, HAIPHONG. Per Singan, at 8 a.m., on Friday, the

26th April. SWATOW, AMOY FORMOSA & FOO-Borneo, for Shanghai and Y kohama. Changsha, for Manila and Melbourne. Per Haiyang, at 10 a.m., on Friday, the China, for Shanghai and San Francisco. BATAVIA, SAMARANG, SOURABAYA Polymesien, for Saigon and Marseilles. & MACASSAR. Per Tjiliwong, at 11 a.m., on Friday, the 20th April.

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JAPAN VIA YOKOHAMA Per E. F. Ferdinand, at 4 p.m., on Friday, the 26th April. TIMOR, AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA & Hongkong Electric Co. Limited ... NEW ZEALAND. Per St. Albans, at 10 a.m., on Saturday. the 27th April. Montrose, for Singapore and New York. STRAITS & INDIA Via CALCUTTA

Hongbes, for Amoy and Singapore. PHILIPPINE ISLANDS. Carl Diederichsen, for Haiphong. Per Loongsang, at I p.m., on Saturday, the 27th April. PASSENGERS. SHANGHAI & NORTH CHINA ARRIVED.

Per Anhui, on Saturday, the 27th Apr. Registration at 5 p.m. Per Loongrang, from Manila, Sister Letters at 6 p.m. Candida, Sister Teresa, Misa M. Pagues, Siberian Moll to Enrope

the 27th April.

Leatham, Brother H. James, and Miss M. STRAITS, BURMAH, CEYLON, ADE-TAIDE WESTERN AUSTRALIA Per Haimun, from Swatow, Mr Walton. INDIA ADEN, EGYPT & EUROPE Via BRINDISL Per Asseye, on Saturday, the 27th April

The British steamer Loongsang from Printed Matter and Samples at 10 a.m. Registration at 10.15 s.m. (Registration, with late fee of 10 cents up to 11.60 s.m.) Registration, Rowloon B.C 9.30 a.m. io laba fee. Letters 11 a.m.

Late Letters II a.m. to noon. Extra Postage: 10 cents. Per P. & O. s.r. China; connecting with (Supplementary Mail on board up to the time fixed for departure of the mail. Extra Postage 10 cents (Letters posted in all the Pillar Boxes in time for the first clearance will be included in this contract mall The Parcel Mail will be closed at 5 p.m. on Veday, the 28th April

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WEATHER REPORT The following notice is issued from the

Hongkong Observatory: On the 23rd at 12.23 p.m. The northern depression has desponed in its; passage Eastward: It now lies to the N

The depression Over the lower Yangtzo valley has filled up. Prossure has given way slightly along the S. E. coast of China, and N. Luzon. Light or variable winds may be expected

along the S. E. coast, and over the China Forecast for the 24 bours ending at noor

1.-Hongkong wand. Neighbourhond ight or variable winds, fine. 2.-Formosa Channel: Moderate winds, veering to N. E. later. 3.-South coast of China between Hong

kong and Lamocks: Same as No. 1. 4. -South coast of Chine between Rone

Hongkong Tides. The bide table given below her been compiled at the Nautical Almanan Office in London from the result of the analysis of observations taken by means of an an-tomatic tide-recording machine in the Wa-ter Police Basin at Taim Sha Tsui during the years 1887-8-9

The zero of the table corresponds with the zero of the soundings in the Admiralty. Charts which has been found to be disest 3 inches below mean see level. To obtain the depth of water on the side gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard add F feet 4 inches and on the gauge at Lamont Dock, Aberdeen, add 10 feet 6 inches to

the height given in the table. April 24th to 30th, 1912.

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